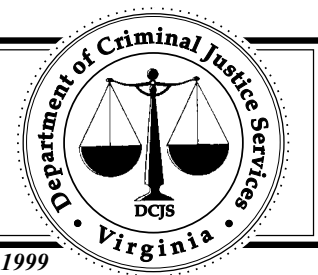


# PRIVATE SECURITY INFORMATION BULLETIN



January/February 1999

## Regulations Under Review

In an October 13, 1998, memorandum to the industry, we announced a review of the Regulations Relating to Private Security Services. This process is expected to take the full year to complete, during which time comments on the draft and proposed changes may be submitted to the department.

A copy of the draft regulations were sent to all compliance agents and instructors at the beginning of January. A substantial portion of the draft regulations were amended in an effort to make language, requirements and content consistent in the various areas of application, administration and standards of conduct. Therefore, it is critical that you review the regulations carefully.

The deadline for comments has been extended to February 15.

DCJS will hold several Industry Involvement Meetings throughout the Commonwealth during the first quarter of 1999, to allow

an opportunity for input and contribution during the regulatory review process. The scheduled dates are as follows:

March 23, 1999 .....	Roanoke
March 25, 1999 .....	Richmond
March 30, 1999 .....	Fairfax
April 1, 1999 .....	Hampton

In July, the Department will issue proposed regulations based upon a review of public comment to the draft regulations sent out earlier. The industry will be able to comment on proposed regulations through September before they are presented to the Criminal Justice Services Board.

## Reminders

The next meeting of the Private Security Services Advisory Board will be held March 18 in Waynesboro. The meeting will be held at Blue Ridge College and will begin at 10:00 a.m.

Private security employees holding registrations and certifications must notify DCJS of an address change within 15 days after the effective date of the change. Numerous renewal notices and other mailings are being returned as undeliverable. This is a loss of thousands of dollars in postage fees.

Regulations require that applications for registrations/certifications be received by the Department within ten calendar days of the completion of training.

The status of a pending application for registration or certification can be checked by calling our toll free status hotline at (877) 978-2887 outside the Richmond area, or 786-1132 locally.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Private Security Advisory Board

March 18..... Waynesboro

### Entry Level Compliance Agent Training

Held the third Wednesday of each month in Ashland, VA.

### In-Service Compliance Agent Training

February 10 .....	Fairfax
March 10 .....	Roanoke
May 12 .....	Fairfax
June 9 .....	Hampton
July 12 .....	Wytheville
August 16 .....	Richmond
September 14 .....	Fairfax
October .....	To be announced
November 16 .....	Richmond
December 8 .....	Fairfax

### General Instructor Training

February 22-26 ..... Richmond |

### Firearms Instructor Training

March 22-26 ..... Richmond |

### Instructor In-Service Training

May 13 .....	Fairfax
July 14 .....	Roanoke
September 9 .....	Hampton

## COMPLIANCE

- **AccuTech Systems, Inc., Rockville, MD, Timothy S. Miller, Compliance Agent.** For failing to include the Private Security Services Business License number with a telephone directory ad: a financial sanction of \$250.
- **Allstate Security & Investigative Services, Inc., Silver Springs, MD, Michael B. Holiday, Compliance Agent.** For failing to include the Private Security Services Business License number with a telephone directory ad: a financial sanction of \$250.
- **Cyrus W. Ahyoung, (now an) Electronic Security Technician, Richmond.** For providing regulated security services prior

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# COMPLIANCE

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to obtaining a private security services business license: immediately cease and desist all activities as a private security services business, and prohibited from owning a private security services business in Virginia for a period of five years for performing security without being registered/certified as a security officer; prohibited from being an armed or unarmed security officer for a period of five years.

- **Brinks Home Security, Inc., Falls Church, Michael G. Johnson, Compliance Agent.** For failing to include the Private Security Services Business License number with a telephone directory ad: a financial sanction of \$250.
- **Commonwealth Telephone and Alarm System, (COMTEL), Richmond, Charles A. Steele, Compliance Agent.** For employing an electronic security technician/technician's assistant without registration/certification, filing of fingerprints or training: a financial sanction of \$250.
- **David E. Duke, Armed Security Officer, Virginia Beach.** For regulatory violations: revocation of registration and armed certification.
- **Facticon Inc., Chaddsford, PA, Alan J. Dark, Compliance Agent.** For failing to include the Private Security Services Business License number on business cards: a financial sanction of \$250.
- **Fire, Burglary Alarms, Inc., Rockville, MD, Avi Dorot, Compliance Agent.** For failing to include the Private Security Services Business License number with a telephone directory ad: a financial sanction of \$250.
- **Christopher Givvines, Personal Protection Specialist, Olney, MD.** For materially misrepresenting information submitted to the department in an effort to renew a registration: denial of application, and prohibited for applying for any category of licensure, registration or certification for a period of five years.
- **Investigative Services and Security, Inc., Mel Barth, Compliance Agent.** For failing to obtain documentary evidence of the terms agreed to between licensee and client: a financial sanction of \$200.
- **Jackson Security Systems, Chester, Claiborne E. Jackson, Compliance Agent.** For providing regulated security services prior to obtaining a private security services business license: a financial sanction of \$500. The company is now in compliance.
- **LeFebure Corporation, Manassas, James W. Butcher, Jr., Compliance Agent.** For failure of the compliance agent to maintain compliance of the company, James W. Butcher, Jr. has been removed as compliance agent. For failing to register 16 employees of LeFebure Corporation: a financial sanction of \$1,600. For failing to renew the private security services business license on time: a financial sanction of \$250.
- **Mason's Cove Security Service, Inc., Salem, Duel V. Burnett, Compliance Agent.** For employing an unarmed security officer in excess of ninety days without training: a financial sanc-

tion of \$250. The employee had been employed less than ninety days, left the company and later returned to the company prior to completing training.

- **Curtis B. Newman, Armed Security Officer, Virginia Beach.** For regulatory violations: revocation of registration; and loss of eligibility for certification licensure or registration in any DCJS category.
- **Albert G. Resh, Jr., Armed Security Officer, Richmond.** For registration violation: suspension of registration through December 3, 1998; registration restored to a probationary status through June 2000.
- **Marvin L. Smith, Locksmith, Richmond.** For soliciting security business prior to obtaining a Private Security Services Business License: cease and desist all regulated activities.
- **Strong Arm Protective Services, also known as Strongarm Services II, Chesapeake, Alonzo T. Martin, Compliance Agent.** For providing regulated security services prior to obtaining a private security services business license: a financial sanction of \$500. The company is now licensed.
- **Ralph V. Ward, independent security consultant, McLean.** For performing regulated security services without a private security services business license, to wit design of a closed circuit television system: cease and desist all regulated activities.
- **Wells Fargo Guard Services, Annandale, Crystal Chambers, Compliance Agent.** For failing to include the Private Security Services Business License number with a telephone directory ad: a financial sanction of \$250.
- **Ballston Security Corporation, Arlington, Michael R. Webb, Compliance Agent.** For operating as a private security services business after the license expired, prior to issuance of the new license: a financial sanction of \$500.
- **Burns International Security Services, Vienna; George F. Frye, Thomas T. Parrish, Robert L. Parker and John S. Reiman, Compliance Agents.** For failing to include the private security services business license number in a yellow pages ad: a financial sanction of \$250.
- **Protective Services, Inc., Fredericksburg, Steven F. Turko, Compliance Agent.** For failing to submit fingerprints on certain electronic security sales representatives on the first day of employment: a financial sanction of \$250.

